Mountain Weather Forecast

Snowdonia National Park

Forecast valid from 00:00 on Friday 11 Mar 2022 until 23:59 on Saturday 12 Mar 2022

Forecast Issued on Thursday 10 Mar 2022 at 16:44

Confidence: Medium

Headline for Friday 11 Mar 2022: Cloudy and windy with summit gales. Patchy rain, turning heavier in the afternoon.

Mountain weather hazards on Friday 11 Mar 2022

Blizzards No Likelihood	**Heavy persistent snow** No Likelihood	**Storm force winds** No Likelihood
Gales High Likelihood	**Severe chill effect** Medium Likelihood	**Poor visibility** Medium Likelihood
Thunderstorms No Likelihood	**Heavy persistent rain** Low Likelihood	**Strong sunlight** No Likelihood

Weather and chance of precipitation at 800m							
Time							
00:00	03:00	06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00
Cloudy	Cloudy	Cloudy	Cloudy	Light rain	Heavy Rain	Heavy Rain	Heavy Rain
Precipitation probability							
20%	20%	30%	30%	70%	60%	50%	50%

Forecast for Friday 11 Mar 2022

Weather: Mainly dry overnight with strong winds and occasional low cloud. A mainly cloudy and overcast day with outbreaks of rain, the rain heavy and persistent at times during the afternoon and evening, turning wintry over the summits later in the day. The best of any dry and bright conditions in the morning.

Chance of cloud-free hill tops above 800m: 60% overnight and early morning, otherwise 30% or less.

Low Cloud and visibility: Occasional or patchy cloud, base, base 600 to 900m, becoming extensive in the afternoon and evening. Visibility moderate or poor in rain, and very poor in summit cloud. Otherwise good.

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Height (m)	Wind Speed mean/gusts (mph)					Wind Direction (blowing from)			
	00:00	03:00	06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00	00:00
900	36/42 SE	40/47 SE	41/50 SE	42/52 SE	51/63 SE	41/51 S	35/44 S	25/32 S	23/30 S
600	27/33 SE	28/35 SE	29/37 SE	32/41 SE	40/52 SE	32/42 S	25/34 S	19/25 S	17/24 S
300	16/29 SE	19/33 SE	19/34 SE	23/38 SE	30/49 SE	22/38 S	17/30 S	12/22 S	11/21 S
Valley	16/29 SE	19/32 SE	19/33 SE	23/38 SE	31/49 SE	23/38 S	17/29 S	12/22 S	11/20 S

Height (m)	Temperature / Feels Like (°C)								
	00:00	03:00	06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00	00:00
900	1/-7	1/-7	2/-7	2/-6	4/-5	4/-4	3/-5	2/-4	2/-4
600	4/-2	4/-2	4/-2	4/-2	6/-0	6/-0	5/-1	4/-1	4/-1
300	6/1	6/1	6/2	7/2	9/4	8/4	7/3	6/3	6/2
Valley	7/3	7/2	8/3	9/4	10/6	10/6	8/4	7/4	7/4
Freezing Level*	900m	1000m	1100m	1300m	1700m	1400m	1300m	1200m	1100m

**Level above which ground is expected to be frozen/snow is expected to settle.*

Meteorologist's View

Nothing further to add.

Forecast for Saturday 12 Mar 2022

Weather: Cloudy and overcast overnight and during the early morning with outbreaks of rain, wintry at times over the highest summits. Becoming drier and brighter by midday, perhaps a few sunny breaks in the afternoon. Strengthening winds and outbreaks of rain and summit snow in the evening.

Maximum wind: South 20 to 25mph gusting 35mph increasing Southeast 35 to 40mph gusting 60mph in the evening.

Chance of cloud-free hill tops above 800m: 30% or less overnight and early morning, becoming 80% by afternoon, but lowering 30% again later in the evening.

Low Cloud and visibility: Extensive cloud, base 600 to 900m lifting and clearing in the afternoon. Visibility moderate or poor in rain, very poor in summit cloud and snow, but very good in the afternoon.

Temperature: **Valleys:** Plus 5 Celsius rising to 11 Celsius
At 800m: Plus 2 Celsius
Freezing level: Around the summits early and late in the day, otherwise 1000m or higher.

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